

September 30, 2003

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12th St., SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex parte presentation in MB Docket No. 02-230

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, I write to report an *ex parte* meeting with a staff member of the Commission in connection with the above-referenced proceeding.

On September 30, 2003, Commission staff spoke by telephone *ex parte* with Fred von Lohmann, representing the Electronic Frontier Foundation (EFF). Present on the phone call was the following Commission staff: Anthony Dale, legal advisor to Commissioner Martin.

Our discussion concerned the proposed broadcast flag solution that is being considered by the Commission in MB Docket 02-230.

Sincerely,

/s/

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